

House Resolution No. 4197

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, John Goodman of Grain Valley, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on October 10, 2004; and

Whereas, John, a member of Boy Scout Troop 946, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project; and

Whereas, during his years in Scouting, John mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the required number of merit badges; and

Whereas, John demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert authority by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of various leadership positions including that of Senior Patrol Leader; and

Whereas, the son of Gordon and Lesli Goodman, John developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers; and

Whereas, John is a student at Lee's Summit North High School, where he has also enjoyed recognition by being heavily involved in the theatre and music programs and by serving as Historian in the German National Honor Society and as a Deacon's and Teacher's Quorum President; and

Whereas, John's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to John Goodman for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him only the best for his plans to attend a university, serve a two-year mission with the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, and climb Mt. Kilimanjaro; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout John Goodman.

Offered by _____
Representative Bryan Pratt
District No. 55

Representative Michael L. Cunningham
District No. 145

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4197, adopted September 30, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker

